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| For: SPHERICAL NANO-COMPOSITE POWDER |) | |
| AND A METHOD OF PREPARING THE |) | |
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.115 AND 1.121

Sir or Madam:

Prior to Examination of the present application, Applicants submit the following Amendments. Specification Amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. Please credit any overpayment to the same deposit account.

Kindly enter the following Amendment and consider the following Remarks.